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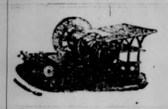

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Elizabeth City, N. C., Dec., 7, 1871.

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OUR GREAT NATURAL ADVANTAGES.

So far as climate and soil and possibilities for growth and development are concerned we insist that North Carolina offers as fair an opening to the capitalist who wishes to invest money or the immigrant who wants to find a new home as any State in any part of the Union. Hitherto both have gone to the West. During the period when slavery walled the sweeping tide of life and energy emigrating from the North and East out from the South it was not surprizing that the current should have drifted Westward. Added to this were the efforts made by the great Railroad corporations of the West to sell their lands and build up trade. They disseminated through every civilized region on the globe a knowledge of the country, and by glowing pictures of its wealth and beauty lured thither the brain and muscle of every land.

Now all that has ever been truthfully said of the West can be likewise said of this portion of the South. And when this is once generally known; when proper efforts are made to change the tide of immigration and divert it to our own borders we will receive just what we need—POPULATION. With this would come other radical changes. It would break up the old routine and introduce the thousand diversified forms of industry which we see in every well balanced and thrifty community the world over. It would inaugurate and build up Home Manufactures and with it a profitable Home Market. To make this plainer, let any of our readers enter one of our country Stores and imagine that all the manufactured articles he sees were made in North Carolina, or a tithe of them in his own county, and he can get some idea of the teeming population needed to produce them, of the amount of money kept at home by them, of the railroads, churches and School houses it would build, and the hundred kinds of food society would largely demand of the farmer to feed its artisans.

All these things are possible and by the use of the proper agencies they can all be realized. Let the outside world be made thoroughly acquainted with the great natural advantages of this part of the South. Then the tide of Immigration will begin to set in this way. With it will come Manufactures, Commerce, Development and Wealth. Then will North Carolina become the State—great, prosperous and happy—that nature designed she should be.

The New York *Sun* and Democratic papers generally, have been much excited over the fact that General Sherman and Lieutenant Grant were going abroad. As a matter of course, they were going to travel at Goverment expense, and here come in the howl and the emblematical flourishing of the tail in virtuous indignation. Gen. Sherman goes abroad in an official capacity, and pays his way as any other man would. Lieut. Grant goes at his father's expense, and the going is a very proper thing to do. The *Sun* never gets above the little meannesses of played out politicians. This is a fair sample of its style of political warfare.

The doctrine of State Sovereignity has been the bane of the South. It caused the Rebellion; it devasted one half the Union; it converted the American continent into a grave-yard. It is a doctrine as false as it is dangerous. The true doctrine is: We are a nation; the nation alone is sovereign; the source of power resides not in the States *but in the people*. Let these truths be made household words at every American fireside. If this had been done fifty years ago there would have been no rebellion.

We have no objections to our cotemporaries appropriating our editorial articles bodily as some of them do. It is an evidence that they appreciate them or they would not adopt them as their own. But when they pretend to give credit we would much prefer they would credit them to us than to other papers as a few are in the habit of doing.

Congress convened on Monday. Both Houses were in session. The President's Message was received and read. We will publish it in our next issue. It is able and satisfactory.

Ex-Senator Gwin of California, will known as the "Duke of Sonora," has a promising gold mine in Calaveras County.

The Ku Klux trials at Columbia, S. C. are in progress. Messrs. Ex-Attorney General STANBERRY and Hon. REVERDY JOHNSON appear for the Defense.

Very cold weather and heavy falls of snow in many parts of the North.

The Federal Court at Raleigh is still in session.

BADLY SCARED.

It is labor lost on the part of the Democratic press, North and South, to deny that the party is terribly scared at the defeats it has recently sustained. And well may it be, for there is scarce a single State which it can now claim as *certain* to cast its electoral vote for any candidate nominated by a Democratic National Convention, or put upon the course by any combination of Democrats and dissatisfied Republicans that can possibly be found. The truth is, for the first time in its history the Democratic party acknowledges the desperateness of its situation. The consolatory remark of former years, "defeated but not dismayed," has been dropped. The invincibility of the organization, its discipline, its leadership—all are gone.

This is more noticable here in the South than ever before. The opponents of Republicanism have been hard at work all the fall to create a sentiment in favor of the Democratic party, but with very little success. Indeed it has been a complete failure. The existence of any organized or systematic plan of murder and intimidation was denied, and a desperate attempt was made to give the lawless communities a character for peace and quietude. The Enforcement Act was denounced in unmeasured terms, the measures resorted to for the restoration of order was asserted to be a violation of the Constitution, and the Judges of the United States Courts were compared to Jeffries.

But it didn't help them. The October and November elections went more strongly against them than before. The people, at the ballot-box, endorsed the policy of the Administration,—nay demanded that it be made more vigorous. This has caused a natural revulsion in the Southern mind. The better disposed among our opponents now counsel an absolute passivism in politics, or an entire withdrawal from the Democracy, while the lawless spirits are ceasing their Ku Klux operations and disbanding their Klans.

Nor is the prospect any more cheering for the Democracy in the North. There is nothing but despondency. Not a single ray of hope illumines the horizon. In Pennsylvania it is a cry for new local leaders and the nomination next year of some one *able to pay his campaign expenses*. In the West it is passivism and the abandonment of "the time honored principles" of the party. Nowhere—East, West, North or South—is there any attempt at concealment of the strait the once proud organization has been reduced to.

New Books Periodicals, &c.

THE LITTLE CORPORAL was routed but not conquered in the great fire, and the December number has come to hand as fresh, sparkling and vigorous as ever. It contains a full-page illustration by Thomas Nast, the prince of artists, and among the articles we notice one from Horace Greeley, on "Art and Industry."

This number contains many rich things and is beautifully illustrated throughout.

The Publisher announces that in the next number will begin the $500 Prize Story, written by Helen C Weeks, a noted writer for the young. They will no doubt be delighted with it.

Published by John E. Miller, Chicago, Ill.

LIPPINCOTTS MAGAZINE.—An Illustrated Monthly of Popular Literature and Science. J. B. Lippincott & Co., Philadelphia, Publishers. $4 a year.

With the number for January, Lippincott's Magazine will enter upon a new volume. The number of pages will be increased, enabling the conductors to furnish an additional amount of popular reading in the best and most emphatic sense. The contributions now on hand or specially engaged embrace an unusual attractive list of Tales, Narratives and Descriptive Sketches by well-known authors; together with a variety of able and interesting articles on the important questions of the day. In addition to the shorter articles by well-known writers, the following Attractive Serial Works will be published during the year.

A powerful and absorbing new story, by George Macdonald, LL. D. author of "Alec Forbes," "Annals of a Quiet Neighborhood," etc. (To be commenced in the number for March.) Also a charming new Novel AYTOUN, by a talented American Author, to be commenced in the number for January.

Mr. Edward Whymper's Exquisitely Illustrated Work, "Scrambling Among the Alps," which has already been begun, will be continued from month to month until completed.

A large amount of space will be devoted to Our Monthly Gossip, which will be enriched with short and lively articles on persons of note, incidents of the day, and other novel or amusing topics.

Illustrations designed by distinguished artists and engraved in the highest style will accompany each number.

OLD AND NEW. *Great inducements to new subscribers.* The publishers of "OLD AND NEW," the popular monthly, edited by Edward E. Hale, offer *free* to *new* subscribers, the last three months of 1871, and also, "The Christmas Locket," a Holiday Gift Book, published early in December, containing Stories, Poems, and other papers by Mrs. H. B. Stowe, George MacDonald, H. H. Joaquin Miller, Miss Williams, Charles T. Brooks, Mrs. Marris Perkins, Edward E. Hale and others of the favorite contributors to "Old and New."

By this very liberal offer, subscribers obtain the whole of George MacDonald's new story, "The Vicar's Daughter," the first part of which appeared in "Old and New" for Octobrr, 1871, which proves to be of peculiar interest, and takes up and carries forwand some of the characters first met in "Annals of a Quiet Neighborkeod."

They will also obtain the whole of a new serial entitled, "Six of One by Half a Dozen of the Other," the first chapter of which appears in the December number.

This serial will be quite a literary curiosity, being written *jointly* by Mrs. Stowe, Mr. Loring, Miss Hale, Mr. Perkins, Mrs. Whitney, and Mr. Hale.

One of these writers furnishes the part which appears in the December number; another takes up the thread of the story and furnishes the chapter for the January issue, and so on through the February, March, April and May numders for 1872.

As the authors of the different chapter are not to be announced, and each one will undoubtedly endeavor to imitate the style of the other, this serial will be a great novelty in magazine literature, and doubtless secure for "Old and New" a large number of new supscribers among the many admirers of the popular writers who are to contribute the different chapters.

The range of "Old and New" is wider than that attempted by any other literary or critical journal in America. "The proprietors mean to publish a journal for the people, *which shall interest, in some way, every member of an intelligent family;* but they do not stop with the entertainment of their readers. They also propose the discussion, at the hand of the ablest authors, of the gravest questions of politics, religion, social order, and history.

Four dollars sent to George A. Coolidge, Business Agent, care of Roberts Bros. Publishers, 143 Washington Street, Boston, will secure this valuable periodical for one year, and also, the extra numbers offered to new subscribers.

Correspondence.

A Review.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

I notice in your last issue an article termed "A Rejoinder," from the pen of Col. Wm. B. Rogers in reply to my communication of the week previous, some parts of which I wish briefly to review. The Colonel starts out with the idea that Corporations are deficient in that very material, and yet *immaterial* part denominated *souls*. I shall not quarrel with him on that point, for the true answer might depend on the orthography of a word, for there are, I believe, Corporations *sole*, as well as Corporations *aggregate*. I don't just know, what kind this one is, but am willing to admit that the "Dismal Swamp Steam Transportation Company" is a happy union of both kinds, being a corporation aggregate with a sole appendage. "Let us have peace." In regard to the second proposition advanced by the Col. that "Common Carriers" are without the pale of human sympathy and respect, "I rise to explain," that if the term Common Carriers has reference to the gentlemanly and obliging officers and crews of the Company's Steamers, I deny it; but if it refers to the aforesaid steamers, with the exception of the Thomas Jefferson, then I say the Col. is eminently sound on the goose, for while I have the greatest respect and veneration for the name of G. Washington when applied to the "Father of his Country," and religiously swallow the stories of his many and great virtues, (hatchet and all), yet, when that name is applied to the *Grand mother of Boats*, I am constrained to exclaim with Longfellow, (or some other fellow,) "Cuss her with immense disrespect." And I will say further Mr. Editor right on this point, that for light and entertaining reading, commend to me a brief account of how that old swamp Angel "busted her biler," and blew every sliver of her rotten hulk away onto the Virginia shore, while passengers and crew waded safely to shore. I can't see what benefit that boat has conferred on the citizens of E. City, unless it has operated as a means of grace by piling on the troubles and vexatious of life, and prepared us for a peculiar enjoyment of our *last boat ride* on the Ferry-Charon-Commander. The Colonel errs in calling me a "stranger;" and in saying that I am "not posted." I know whereof I affirm in every particular, and, while I may have stated things a little strongly I have not "drawn upon my imagination for the purpose of being witty" or otherwise. I leave to the people on whom the public travel from here to Norfolk is inflicted, to judge of this matter. But the Col. says Canal regulations forbid greater speed than four miles an hour. Who made these regulations for the D. S. Canal,? The directors of that canal board of which Col. Wm. B. Rogers is the President. This canal stock is owned by the United States, the State of Virginia, and some private individuals. Now the Federal Government doesn't care how fast these boats run through the canal. I presume the State of Virginia never will inquire into the matter; so the restriction must come from the individual stock holders who mostly live at *Norfolk* and this may account for the milk in the cocoanut. But be this as it may, I cannot help believing that Col. Rogers, from his ffical position both in the Canal, and Transportation board, and the large discretionary powers which he wields, could have the time of his boats shortened materially. It would take more *coal*, but might pay nevertheless. Alluding to the Col's letter again, I say our complaint is *not* against the "Author of Nature for not providing an open river communication," but against the Transportation Company for not using *fully* the communication already provided. After admitting nearly all the facts stated by me in my former article, the Col. takes refuge behind his assertion that the Steamer Thomas Jefferson gives a longer ride, and heavier forage, to its passengers, than any other line in the United States for the same money, but this is, in one particular, a base slander on the Steamer G. Washington, which instead of "ten hours" usually gives its guests from seventeen to twenty hours ride in its trip from E. City to Norfolk, or return, and for the small price of two dollars. And now let us for a moment look to the terrible "dangers and risks of life, and money," through which this devoted company has so bravely and triumphantly passed during the past two years. Those hardy sons of the deep who have left home and friends, imperiling their lives by venturing out on the roaring billows of the *trackless* Dismal Swamp Canal, may well challenge our sympathy, and command our universal and undisguised admiration but the Colonel can claim no share in this praise, for he has during these two years seen most of the time comfortably seated in his Norfolk office, or luxuriating in his pleasant home, while, if business has required his presence at E. City, or anywhere else along the route, it is fair to presume that being crowded with business, and pressed for time, he has discarded the boats, and chosen the more expeditious mode of travel, and gone afoot. In regard to the "risk of money," it may be enough to remark that the whole amount invested scarcely exceeds the amount required to start a country store, while the 30 or 40 per cent. annual profits proves, that the only "risk" was the risk of getting rich too fast. I repeat what I said before, that the management of the public route from E, City, to Norfolk for the past few months especially, has retarded immigration to this section, and has become a matter in which forbearance has ceased to be a virtue, and silence is a position wrong. The Tho's. Jefferson is a good boat, but the Elizabeth City is *not* a good boat for the route, and we have spoken our mind in regard to the G. Washington. What we would like, is to have the last named boat taken to sea and *sunk*, so that we may never be molested by her again. We would like to have another boat as good or better than the Jefferson. We would like to have these boats carry *passengers* mainly, and not be so loaded down with *freight* as to seriously incommode the guests of the boat, and drag the boat through the *mud* nearly the whole length of the canal, and we would suggest the propriety of the company owning and running a freight boat, especially in the Spring and Fall of the year, and they will find a great saving in *propellers* and *rudders*. We ask that the company be provided against contingencies, so that there may be no hiatus in their business, and finally, we ask that their boats may be driven through the canal at as great a speed as can be *procured*.

All of which is modestly and earnestly submitted by

A FRIEND OF IMMIGRATION.

E, City, N. C., Dec. 4th, 1871.

Our Washington Letter. No. 1.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 28th.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

THE APPROACHING CONGRESS.

From year to year the range of Congressional Legislation has increased in extent and importance. It is found that as the country becomes older its interests are more diversified, and that the old policy of allowing everything to drift with the tide and take care of itself can no longer be maintained.

Among the new measures which will come before Congress and upon which the press and the people ought to be posted *pro* and *con* are.

The organization of Post Office Savings Banks, which will enable the people to have a Savings Bank that can never break at each county-seat or other place of commercial importance. The Government will pay for the use of money from five dollars upwards 3 65–100, per cent. or one cent per day per hundred dollars, and transfer the deposits by means of post office orders to any locality within the United States free of charge.

The abolition of the telegraph monopoly and the establishment of a postal telegraph system, so that messages can be sent everywhere at a uniform rate, not exceeding twenty cents for ten words and one cent for every additional word.

The establishment of a Bureau of Immigration to take charge of the interests of newly arrived immigrants who are now subject to very great and unnecessary hardships by which means immigration especially of the better sort is found to be impeded, and the immigrants demoralized.

The project of establishing a Government Insurance Company, which will insure all the real estates in the country at a greatly reduced rate of premium and not be affected disastrously by such a conflagration as that of Chicago, will also receive attention as it is now in successful operation in Germany.

Measures for the better protection of the ballot box will be devised, so that the purchase and intimidation of voters, the repeating and cheating going on in New York City and in the South may be checked, if not prevented.

The tariff will also be revised and taxation diminished, and preliminary legislation looking toward the resumption of specie payment will undoubtedly be enacted. Senator Sumner and other leaders are already moving in the matter of specie payments.

Measures for the revival of our foreign commerce and for the re-organization of the Civil Service will be up for discussion, and it being a Presidential year, all the political questions of the day will be thoroughly considered.

Under the circumstances the Capitol will be the political focus of unusual brilliancy and power, and the political usefulness of every citizen during the coming campaign will be in precise proportion to his intelligent appreciation of the new measures. Our local politicians and publishers must evince a disposition to learn what is new. They will not be able to interest hearers or readers if their whole stock in trade consists of by-gone issues.

THE CAPITOL.

Visitors during the Session of Congress now about to convene, will find more than the usual change for the better. The widening of the South entrance to the rotunda and the removal of the grand bronze doors from that corridor to the East Front; the remodelling of the old Representative Chamber; the painting inside and out of various portions of the edifice; the curbing and sodding of the surrounding terrace and plateau all add materially to the neatness and finish of this grandest of architectural structures.

Professor Gardiner, the electrician, who for some years past has been lighting the Capitol gas by electricity has been busy for a month past with a force of furbishers making his splendid apparatus shine. During the recess he has been called from different parts of the country to introduce his patent electrical process which, until lately, has only been applied to the lighting of the National Capitol. The Grand Union railroad depot, the splendid Jewish Club House, and the palatial residence of A. T. Stewart have already manifested the enterprise of New York, and the Capitol of California is also furnished with his electrical apparatus. One of the most interesting sights here is to see him light several thousand burners in the twinkling of an eye by simply turning a crank and pressing a key. The exploit resembles the glory of Genesis, when God said "let their be light, and there was light."

C. M.

Proceedings of the Town Commissioners.

MAYOR'S OFFICE E. CITY, N. C,
Dec. 4th, 1871.

The Board met at the Mayor's Office. Present—his Honor Mayor Cobb and Commissioners Davis, Commander, Pool and Underwood.

Ordered:—That the Mayor be authorized and instructed to cut down such Trees as he may deem necessary for the improvement of any street in this Town.

Ordered:—That his Hon. the Mayor and Dr. Wm. Underwood be a committee to superintend and direct the setting out of trees and shrubbery in the streets of this Town.

Ordered:—That the Mayor contracts for Four Thousand feet of suitable heart Lumber, and one hundred Juniper posts for the Bridges of this Town,

Ordered:—That the Mayor be authorized to purchase of Capt. Wilson Walker Forty four inches of his land adjoining the Store of J. J. Grandy, the length of said Store.

Ordered:—That as soon as Fearing Street is completed that work on Sheppard Street be proceeded with.

Ordered:—That the Report of the Finance Committee be published among the proceedings of this meeting and that one hundred copies of same be printed in Handbill form for distribution, and this report spread on the minutes of this Corporation.

[The great length of the Report of the Finance Committee, and the crowded state of our columns this week obliges us to defer its publication until next week —EDITOR.]

Ordered:—That the Tax collector be held responsible for the entire taxes of this Town for the year 1871 and for all arrearage of Taxes due before that time, and that after such notice, and other preliminary legal proceedings as our City Attorney may advise, the property of all delinquent or recusant Tax payers be sold and that the Mayor purchase and hold the same for this corporation.

Ordered:—That the Treasurer of this corporation only pay our Town orders, and that the tax collectors or others officers, holding funds of this Town be required to settle with and pay over the same to said Treasurer whenever they may have in hand any amounts exceeding Fifty Dollars.

Ordered:—That an order be allowed Anthony Morgan for Fifteen Dollars, for services rendered in removing buildings on Fearing's Street.

Ordered:—That an order be allowed Hugh Cale for Eleven Dollars and twenty five cents for hauling on Streets.

Ordered:—That an order be allowed W. W. Griffin for Forty one Dollars and sixty four cents for Lumber furnished corporation.

Ordered:—That an order be allowed J. H. Miskell for Twenty five Dollars amount paid hands for cutting Ditch and other work on Fearing's Street.

Ordered:—That an order be allowed W. A. Harney for Eighteen Dollars and Seventy five cents for hauling on Street.

Ordered:—That an order be allowed T. A. Commander for Forty Five Dollars and thirty three cents for services rendered in removing fences on Fearing's Street.

Ordered:—That an order be allowed G. W. Cobb for Eleven Dollars and fifty cents for condemned property on Fearing's Street the same being amount paid owners of property on said Street.

Ordered: That an order be allowed Charles Davis for Twenty One Dollars and fifty two cents for lighting Lamps on Streets.

Ordered: That an order be allowed Dr. Wm. H. Fuller for Twelve Dollars and fifty cents for Bricks and Dirt furnished corporation.

Ordered:—That this meeting adjourn to meet on first Monday of January 1872 at Ten o'clock, A. M.

JOS. COMMANDER,
Clerk.

Another "Cause for Complaint."

Near Middletown, Pa., Dec. 4, 1871.

To the Editor of the North Carolinian:

Through the influence of your paper I was induced some time ago to visit your section of North Carolina. I was so well pleased with your people, the climate and the price of land that I purchased a farm. Last week I paid your place a visit to secure a tenant for my farm for the ensuing year. On my way from Baltimore to Norfolk I fell in with quite a number of Northern gentlemen on a trip South, I told them about Elizabeth City and Eastern Carolina, and some ten or twelve of them—men of intelligence and money—agreed to accompany me. On arriving at Norfolk *there was no Boat*, nor any other means provided to go down to your place. I confess that I felt exceedingly annoyed. Indeed had I had no interest there I would have done as my companions did—went where easy and *regular* transportation is kept up.

Because of this single failure I am satisfied your county lost several thousand dollars. Will your people submit to this? Why not get up an opposition line of Boats?

Respectfully,
M.

The Legislature.

On the 27th ult, Mr Price presented a petion from the citizens of New Hanover praying the General Assembly to investigate charges made against certain officers and members of this General Assembly. Objections were made by the Democratic Senators and the petition wasn't received. Mr. Speed introduced a resolution in favor of John L. Wood, sheriff of Pasquotank county. Lies over. —— In the House a resolution was introduced to raise a joint committee to remodel the Senatorial, Congressional and Judicial Districts. Calendar. Mr. Robinson, by consent, introduced a resolution requesting the Attorney General's opinion on the right of the General Assembly to apportionate the Districts of the State, under sections 4 and 5, art, 2 of the constitution. Passed its second reading under a suspension of the rules. The resolution was then placed on its third reading, when Mr. Johnston, Buncombe, moved to strike out the words "sections 4 and 5, art, 2," and insert "Constitution of North Carolina." The resolution as amended them passed its third reading.

On the 28th ult., In the Senate much time was spent by Democratic Senators on the question of electing of U. S. Senator. House resolution concerning special tax money, passed its second and third readings. This resolution allows the State Treasurer to use the special tax money to defray the ordinary expenses of the State government. ——In the House various bills introduced and refered.

On the 29th ult., In the Senate a number of resolutions were introduced. A message was received from His Excellency, the Governor, in response to the resolution introduced on Monday requesting information as to the arrest of citizens of this State by U. S. Troops stationed in South Carolina, and whether the Governor had taken steps to vindicate the dignity of the State. This message elicted considerable discussion. It stated that one Allen Bettis was arrested in Cleaveland county by the Fedral troops from South Carolina; that said Allen Bettis is charged with being either a principal or accessory to the murder of one Thomas Rountree, in the State of South Carolina, by a band of disguised men, and that he was arrested by orders from an officer in command of the Federal troops stationed in said State; and that he is held to answer for the crime alleged against him, before the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of South Carolina.——In the House a number of bills was introduced and refered.

On the 30 ult., Being Thanksgiving, neither House in session.

On the 1st inst., the time of both Houses occupied in unprofitable discussion.

On 2nd inst., In the Senate the resolution in favor of John L. Wood, Sheriff of Pasquotank, was laid on the table, the sheriff having settled. A number of bills presented and refered.——In the House Senate bill concerning Probate of Deeds and the private examination of married women outside of the State, was taken up and passed its third reading. Senate bill concerning the jurisdiction of the Superior Courts was taken up and passed its third reading.

On the 26th ult., a man named Joseph Belch murdered Thomas Evans at Shambly Mills in Hertford county. It was a premeditated act for robbery. He then took the clothes off his victim dressed himself in them, put on his new boots, got him a new hat out of the store and left his old clothes and shoes lying in the sore, and left dressed with his pocket full of money, besides a fine watch and pistol that he took, and went on the boat that night for Franklin Depot, on the Seaboard road, where he took the train for Norfolk, and from there he took the boat to Baltimore. The dead body of Evans was not found until Tuesday morning about sunrise, and then pursuers were put upon the track and tracked the culprit to Franklin. Thence they telegraphed to Norfolk and Baltimore, and no sooner had Jack Belch stepped his foot from the boat in the latter city than he was nabbed by the officers of the law.

At Logan, Cache County, Utah, the thermometer on Wednesday stood 14 deg, below zero, and the following day at 30 deg, below zero.

Ex-Comptroller Connolly, one of the Ring officials, has been arrested and held in the sum of $1,000,000 bail to answer to the charge of malfeasance in office, and he is now in jail.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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AGRICULTURAL, HORTICULTURAL AND DOMESTIC MATTERS.

Agreicultural Stimulants.

When told by chemists that certain plants yield in their ash, so much phosphate of lime, potash, soda, iron, etc., how natural it is to suppose that what we must do is only to collect those mineral salts and apply them to the soil, in order to grow any crop. Such would be the method, were nothing else extracted by the growing plant. Would we think of extracting the mineral elements from hay and grain, to make beef and pork? What else but unnatural stimulants would they be, forcing and exhausting all the vital energies of the animal; such in a degree, are the injuries produced on land by applying concentrated manures where the soil is deficient in organic matter.

Given a virgin soil, and little else save seed and skill is wanted to make a crop. Wen then are the elements of a new soil, rich in plant food? Simply a large part organic matter, with comparatively a small part mineral elements, earthly salts. When therefore after repeated croppings, resort is had to mineral salts, instead of organic matter, we stimulate the small supply of the latter remaining and force the soil beyond its strength, consequently the land fails.

Organic matter is more necessary than mineral, as without the former, no growth can take place. Something is always required for the salts to act upon and eliminate carbonic acid. Animal manures contain all the needed elements, and why? Not because they are made up wholly of minerals, but that the larger part is organic matter. Every farmer knows how quickly a pile of green manure ferments,—remove the organic elements, and the salts, having no base to act upon, remain inert, therefore no carbonic acid is set free.

All who have seen the soil of the West, remark its fineness, softness and blackness, testifying at once to its fertility. What is seen and felt, is organic matter, rich in carbon, which, when plowed and seeded, quickly decomposes in the warm sun and rain, throwing off large supplies of carbonic acid, ready for the plants to take up and form the substance of their make. Thus we have the garden of the world, from the extent and richness of organic matter, ready at the slightest heck of man to respond in ten-fold power. Let us imitate nature where we can. Scattered through our valleys and lowlands are immense deposits of vegetable carbon waiting to be appropriated in the work of reforming the long tilled unlands. The economy of farming is secured only when we restore to the soil those organic constituents that make the substance of plants.

Do not the teachings of experience each year as we note the decline of once rich virgin soil, point to a reform in the manner we are treating our lands? A sufficient supply of animal manure is expensive to procure, and only a small proportion of New England farmers can have all they can use,—spring comes, and those who have but a limited supply to their many wants, resort at the last moment to the advertised commercial manures, rich (provided they are genuine) in substances calculated to act upon soil supplied with organic matter. But without discriminating, many farmers apply the same to land already exhausted of its main organic elements, and we see as a result, the constant and deplorable waste that is thinning the surface soil each year of land and more. Can we not realize the fact that forcing system pictures to us, as we gather each year a smaller harvest, to say nothing of the less value the land will bring in market.

Liquid Manure.

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Nature has placed in our hands, without cost in many instances, all that is required to begin the work of recuperating worn out lands, and keeping up the vitality of our richer ones.

This time of the year ought to be improved in excavating and carting all the muck that can be used next season, that the frosts may do their part of rendering it friable and more free of acids.

To Cure a Felon on the Hand.—Take sassafras bark—the inside bark—dry, and grate it fine, and wet in a teacup with cold water, for a poultice. Apply to the felon, and wet once in five minutes in cold water. This followed up, will draw it to a head in twenty-four hours, without any pain, and without any injury to the hand. Use the bark of the root.

To take Stains out of White Marble.—Take 1 ox-gall, 1 wineglassful of soap lees, one-half wineglas-ful of turpentine; mix and make into a paste with pipe clay. Put on the paste over the stain and let it remain for several days. If the stain is not fully removed a second application will generally prove sufficient.

To Make Cloth Waterproof.—In a pail to soft water put half a pound of alum; stir at intervals until it becomes cool, then pour it into another pail and put the garment therein, and let it be in twenty-four hours, and then hang it up to dry without ringing it.

To Cleanse Blankets.—Put two tablespoonfuls of borax and a pint of soap into a tub of cold water. When dissolved put in a pair of blankets, and let them remain over night. Next day rub and drain them out, and hang them out to dry. Do not wring them.

Harness Blacking.—Three ounces of beeswax, four ounces ivory black, one pint neats-foot oil, two ounces castile soap, two ounces lard, one ounce aloes; to be boiled together, and poured into a hollow vessel.

To Preserve Clothes Pins.—Clothes pins boiled a few moments and quickly dried, once or twice a month, become more flexible and durable. Clothes lines will last longer and keep in better order for wash-day service, it occasionally treated in the same way.

Napoleon the First used to carry with him when he went hunting fifty bottles of wine, but never touched it. On one occasion he was thirsty, and ordered a glass. "All gone," said the valet. "Hereafter take fifty-one bottles, and keep one for me."

In Scott county, Ill., on the 12th instant, Noah M. Tablot committed suicide by blowing out his prains with a revolver. An hour previous Talbot had received a letter from Miss Lizzie Gillham' an accomplished young lady whom he lovedintensely, in which she peremptorily discarded him.

DESCRIPTIVE CATALOGUE

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FOR SALE BY

GEORGE D. POOL.

Real Estate Agent,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

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A Steam Saw and Grist Mill in the town of Nixonton 8 miles from E. City. This Mill has a fine wharf and store attached on deep navigable water, the engine is 40 horse power, a dall in good order. It is one of the finest locations to be found any where for custom work, and for getting good saw logs easily and cheaply. Price $4,000 cash.

Adjoining the mill property is 40 acres of fine land on the River, with three houses, all for $1200. Near the same is a good two story dwelling and 13 acres of land for $2,000, and a good one story dwelling, with one acre of land for $300.

Also two fine farms in Pasquotank county, 10 miles from E. City, within half mile of church, school house and post office. One tract contains about 500 acres, with fair buildings and mostly cleared, and the other contains 300 acres, with good two story dwelling, large barn, and other outhouses, both are offered at $20 per acre, one third cash, balance in one and two years.

Also one other tract in Pasquotank county, containing 176 acres, within one mile of the town with fine buildings, mostly cleared and in cultivation. Price $25 per acre, one half cash, balance in 12 months.

A valuable site for a hotel at Nag's Head, 40 miles from Elizabeth City, and 50 miles from Edenton. This is situated immediately on the Ocean, and is a famous Summer resort for invalids, and those seeking health, comfort, and amusements during the summer months. It is in direct communication by steamboats and railroad with all parts of North Carolina, Virginia, and the North; and is equal in natural advantages to Newport, or Cape May. Visitors flock to this famous summer resort by hundreds and thousands, and a large amount of money can be made by a hotel. A charter has been obtained from the Legislature of N. C. for a joint stock company to build the hotel. There is now an old hotel on the spot, which could be cheaply repaired and bought for $3,000. This hotel, though imperfectly kept, cleared the proprietor last season, over $3,000. For a man or a company, having some capital, this is one of the finest chances to make money at hotel keeping to be found anywhere. The early attention of the public is invited to this property.

A fine steam saw and grist mill at Hertford, the county seat of Perquimans County, N. C., 18 miles from Elizabeth City. This mill has a fifty horse power engine, now in good running, two pairs of best French burr stones, and two upright saws. The house has a brick basement, and the building is large and in good order. There is one and a half acres of land belonging to this property, and a good two story dwelling, and other out-houses. The section of country adjacent abounds in the finest yellow pine, cypress, ash, poplar, and other valuable timber. This property originally cost $15,000, and is now offered at forced sale for the low price of $3,500, $7,00, cash, and the balance in six equal instalments, six months apart each with interest.

A fine farm and fishery in same county. The farm contains 400 acres of the finest land, lies immediately on Albemarle Sound where the water is 12 miles wide, and 18 to 20 feet deep, has got buildings, and fine neighborhood. The fishery is on the farm and goes with it. It has a new seine 2,500 yards long, and all the necessary boats, buildings, &c., (which cost over $15,000 two years ago.) The fishery alone, of a good season, will make from 5 to $10,000 profit to the owner. This property is offered at forced sale for the low price of $20,000, $7,000 cash, balance on easy terms.

A store at South Mills, in Camden county, 20 miles from E. City, and 20 miles from Norfolk, lying on the canal where steamers pass daily. A fine chance for merchandize. Store is large with dwelling above containing six rooms, is in first rate order, has office, kitchen, dairy, and other necessary outhouses. Goods to the amt. of $50,000 per annum can be sold here, and at large profits. A splended stand for a country retail store. Price $2,500—one third cash, balance in one and two years.

A valuable tract of land in Camden county, at South Mills, on the Dismal Swamp Canal, lying on the canal for two miles, containing over 900 acres of land—two-thirds cleared, and in a fine state of cultivation, with good buildings, &c.; balance in valuable timber. Price $12,000, one-third cash, balance in one and two years, interest from January, 1871. This is a valuable farm for corn, wheat, and vegetables, and being midway between Elizabeth City and Norfolk, and located where steamers pass by the door daily, is a desirable and cheap property.

A fine farm of 600 acres within six miles of E. City, one mile from unriglable water, and the best cotton farm in the State. It is also well adapted to raising corn and wheat. This farm has a splended two-story dwelling upon it, large barn, 40 by 66 feet, a large number of out-house, by splended trees and shrubbery, is in a strong Union neighborhood, and altogether the most desirable place in the county. A little over one-half of this land is cleared, and the balance is covered with the finest yellow pine, poplar, ash and other timber. Price $30 per acre—one-third cash, balance in one and two years with interest. Title reserved.

Also six houses and lots in Elizabeth City, with good dwellings, out-houses, &c. Price and terms reasonable.

A valuable farm in Perquimans county, N. C. near navigable water. Has a fine dwelling-house with ten rooms, in splended order, with splended barns and stables—all in first rate order. The farm is very productive in corn, oats, wheat, cotton and clover. It is one of the finest farms in the State and is now in good cultivation, contains 685 acres of land, about three-fourths cleared and under cultivation. Price $10,000, one-third cash January 1, next balance in two equal annual instalments with interest at the rate of six per cent.

A farm of 370 acres 8 miles from town by water, and 12 miles by land, is offered for sale for $10,000 in easy payments. This tract of land lies immediately on the River which is 4 miles wide and washes the farm its whole length on one side, and a branch on the River on another side. Under fine cultivation. The land is well adapted to raising corn, wheat, cotton, oats, peas, &c., lies high and dry, and is susceptible of the highest improvement. Fronting and looking over, as it does, two large sheets of navigable water, where steamers and sailing vessels are constantly passing, carrying freight and passengers to all parts of the country, its location and surroundings, are of the most fascinating and desirable character. There is a fishery on it ready for working a seine 2,500 yards long, and which commands a portion of both streams of water, and can be made immensely profitable. The price charged is low, and the purchaser a very desirable one. The building consist of a good two-story dwelling and out-houses.

A tract of valuable land, containing 356 acres, with fine two story dwelling containing 9 rooms and cook-room. Servant's house with 3 rooms, large barns and stables, all necessary and convenient out-houses, 3 tenant-houses near town, and immediately on the River. About 100 acres of this land is in fine wood and timber, balance in a fine state of cultivation. It has 8,000 grape vines one year old, 3,500 peach, apple and dwarf pear trees, five acres in strawberries which yielded an immence profit this year, ten acres in Lawton and other rare varieties of black-berries, 15 to 20,000 young peach trees with other choice fruits too numerous to mention. This farm has a public road on one side, and the River on the other, where strangers come daily to the landings to receive the fruits and vegetables, and carry them down to Norfolk, Baltimore, Phila., or New York. The land is finely adapted to raising corn, wheat, cotton, oats, and all other field crops.

The owner of this farm offers to sell in tracts, to suit purchasers, say in 50 to 100 acre tracts, and at prices ranging from 35 to $80 per acre, according to location, buildings, &c.

There is also on this farm a fine fishery, where a seine 1,000 yards long, and 20 feet deep is hauled every Spring. Herring, Shad, Rockfish, Sturgeon and other valuable fish, are caught by thousands at every draw of the seine. And the profits are frequently large. This fishery of itself is worth nearly as much as is charged for the whole property. The terms will be liberal. This is probably the finest opportunity offered any where for a profitable investment.

☞ Fishery has an office, and two houses for hands besides fish house. Then some 500 to 1,000 loads of best fish manure on hand, be sides over 5,000 loads of compost made ready or use. This goes with the farm.

A desirable house and lot in the town of Elizabeth City on the corner of two principal streets, the principal one, and situated in the best business locality in the town. The lot contains about two acres of land, and the buildings consist of a fair dwelling three stories high, containing eight rooms, all in good order, another two story building with four rooms and pantries, dairy, smokehouses, stables, &c. The dwelling has a good cellar under it. There is room on the front lot to erect two good stores, and they would occupy the best stand in the town for merchandize.

For further particulars, enquire of

GEO. D. POOL,
Agent.

Elizabeth City, N. C., Mar. 9, 1871.

TO SPORTSMEN.—

The uhderiber would announce to his friends and the public that he continues at the old stand on Road street and keeps on hand a good assortment of Guns, Rifles, Pistols, Sporting apparatus and also a fine selection of cutlery, He may at all times be found either in his store prepared to accommodate customers with New Goods, or in his shop adjoining, willing and happy to repair any article in his line of business.

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HAVING SECURED THE SERVICES OF THE best mechanics in each of the departments, and giving my own particular attention to all work done at my shop, feel safe in saying that my work will compare favorably with that of any of the large cities. All I ask is an examination of my work to convince those in want of any kind of a vehicle that this is the place to buy them.

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Elizabeth City, Nov. 25, 1869.—tf.

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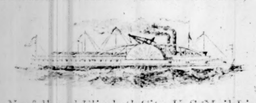

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E. City, N. C. July 20, 1871.

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Loyal citizens of North Carolina and other Southern States, will be pleased to learn that Congress at the last session passed a law for a commission to be appointed to examine and report on all claims that may be presented to them for Quartermaster and Commissary stores furnished the Federal Army during the late war.

The undersigned are prepared to furnish blanks, and give all information to those having claims—and to prosecutel the same to final settlement. Having received the endorsement for ability, &c., from the Hon. Senators Messrs. Pool and Abbott and the Representatives from North Carolina—we bleieve that we can give satisfaction to all who entrust their claims to us.

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OF

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TO THE PUBLIC.

The Land and Lumber Company having a large amount of Real Estate of their own to dispose of, and their business having increased to such an extent, they think it prudent to decline acting further as Commission Agents for the sale of lands belonging to others. They will however be glad at all times to furnish every facility to parties coming to Elizabeth City with a desire to look at the country and make purchases if they find it to their interest to do so.

The following list of property, owned by the Company, is offered for sale on the most reasonable terms. Their object now is to acquire a larger monied capital for the purpose of further developing their unimproved lands and carrying out their original design of increasing the Commerce and General Trade of Elizabeth City.

As there are others in the Commission Business, parties are referred to their advertisement for further information.

ELIZABETH CITY.

The following desirable list of Properties in Elizabeth City are offered at very reduced prices for cash or on time payments at rates which make any of them excellent investments for capitalists. We feel confident that this City is destined to become a large place and property will advance rapidly. Emigration is now tending Southernward and the feeling is in universal favor toward Elizabeth City.

A large two-story dwelling known as the Parsonage, with fine double Piazza, front and back, large out kitchen, stables, carriage house, with 17 acres of ground well enclosed. This ground is all within the corporation of the City, and is well situated to lay out in building lots and make out of it ten fold the price asked for it.

A two-story dwelling containing ten rooms, 10,000 gallon cistern and all necessary out-houses, with large lot. Situated on Main Street. A Vacant Lot no better located and not so large as this was sold recently for $1000 cash.

A large brick store house and wharf situate on Water street; in E. City, co uprising three lots with 400 feet of water front permanently wharfed for the accommodation of large vessels. There is erected on these lots a large two-story brick building, 50 by 80 feet, well fitted up for a wholesale or retail trade at present occupied by the "Yankee Store."

A large wood store on west side of Water street 36 by 60, two stories high, being one of the best stands on Water street for merchandizing.

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Also a large number of Wharf Lots, Mill Lots and Vacant Lots at very low prices, some of which are enumerated below. The Wharf Lots are 200ft deep and will be sold to any size desired along the River. Among them are some most eligible situations for Store Houses, Mills and Manufactories of any kind as there is a fine harbor immediately in front of them, having 20ft of water, sufficient for vessels of any capacity. Along Pennsylvania Avenue are offered some of the finest and choicest lots, for dwellings in town at prices varying according to location. This will be the finest street in town, is 80 feet wide, size of Lot 100 ft front by 200ft deep. There are now a number of first class residences being erected on this street. Immediately in the vicinity of these Lots the Company have erected a large Planing Mill, Sash, Blind and Door Factory at a cost of near $20,000 and also their Saw Mill at a cost of near $15,000. This now is the proper time to invest in these Lots there can be no doubt, as they will double in value in a very short time. Lots not near so good as these, are now selling in other parts of the City at more than double the price asked for these.

VACANT LOTS.

Lots Nos. 150, 155, 158, 161, 163, 165, 167, 170, 172, 175, 178, 180, 182, 185, 187, 190, 193, 195, 198 and 200, situate on Pennsylvania avenue, in the new extension of Elizabeth City, all choice lots, intended for the better class of residences. Size of lots 100 feet front by 200 feet deep. Price varying, according to location, from $100 to $1000.

TOWN LOTS.

Lots Nos. 250, 253, 255, 256, 258, 261, 263, 266, 267, 268, 271, 283, 285, 287, 288, 289, 291, 296, 299 and 300, situated on various Streets in the new extension of Elizabeth City, size of lots 50 feet front by 100 feet deep, at prices varying from $25 to $100.

MILL LOTS.

Four Mill-Lots situated on Knobb's Creek, so that logs can be taken from the creek to the mill. These lots have 200 feet each of water front, and over 600 feet deep to Mill street, and are choice sites. The purchaser will also have the right of storage for logs in the boom.

PASQUOTANK COUNTY.

The Land and Lumber Company also offer for sale, one thousand acres of their timbered land along the Main Road leading from Elizabeth City to Hertford and Edenton, Said land heavily wooded, soil very rich and about four miles from Elizabeth City. This land will be sold in lots to suit purchasers and at the low price of ten dollars per acre.

They also offer a tract of three thousand acres in Lots to suit purchasers, near the Pasquotank River, ten miles from Elizabeth City and three miles from South Mills. This land is heavily set with wood and also has upon it a vast amount of saw timber, and has a most excellent soil. This is a fine location for a small Colony. There is now a Public Road running directly through it. This tract is offered at the low price of six light dollars per acre if sold to one party, or at only a fraction more if divided into small lots.

The Company will also sell their farm of 150 acres two miles from Elizabeth City. 125 acres cleared and under good cultivation, well fenced, having upon it two dwelling houses, one new and the necessary out buildings wanted on a farm, and will be sold on very reasonable terms.

Also another farm one mile from Elizabeth City containing one hundred acres, between thirty and forty acres cleared and under cultivation, the balance is now being cut off and is nearly ready to be cleared up and cultivated. This property is very desirable being so near the City though for reasons first given will be sold at a very low price.

We have a finely timbered tract of land situated on the Albemarle Sound twenty miles from Elizabeth City, containing 124 acres. Good timber land bordering on the water is valuable both for wood as well as saw timber as water transportation affords a good margin for wood, say one dollar per cord. This will also make good farm land—will be sold for one thousand dollars.

Also one other tract of land containing 154 acres situated immediately on the Pasquotank River ten miles from Elizabeth City, valuable for wood, and is excellent farming lands, would be sold for six dollars per acre.

GATES COUNTY.

The Land & Lumber Company have a tract of 350 acres of timbered land one half mile from Chowan River and three miles west from Winton the county seat of Hertford county. This body of land is well timbered land will be sold at the low price of three dollars per acre.

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Logs should be cut in the Months of July, August, September, October, November, December and January.

All Logs must be cut in even lengths of 12, 14 or 16 feet, with 3 or 4 inches allowed for run of saw.

16 FEET LENGTHS PREFERED.

The Logs must be Sawed off at both ends else a Reduction in price will be made. For Further information inquire at our office.

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